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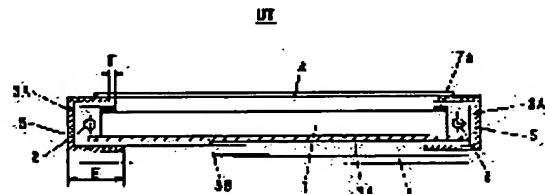
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(54) LIGHTING UNIT, AND LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY DEVICE USING THE SAME

(57)Abstract:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To provide a lighting unit with high reliability of which, the thickness is thin and the problem of unevenness of brightness caused by distortion or wrinkle generated when a conductive sheet or the like is adhered to a reflection sheet, is solved by simple structure, and to provide a liquid crystal display device using the lighting unit.

SOLUTION: The lighting unit comprises a light source 2, a light guide plate 1 located near to the light source 2, guiding the light from the light source 2, a first reflection sheet 3A arranged so as to stretch along the back surface of the light guide plate 1, and a second reflection sheet 3B laid between the light guide plate 1 and the first reflection sheet 3A, reflecting the light emitted from the light source 2. The second reflection sheet 3B is not necessarily composed of one layer, but might be composed of a plurality of layers.



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